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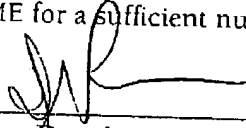
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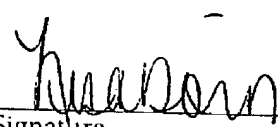
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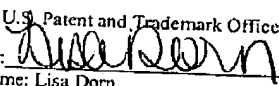
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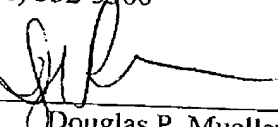
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In response to the restriction requirement dated September 27, 2004, Applicants elect Group II, claims 1-6 for initial examination. Applicants traverse the restriction requirement to the extent of requesting that the non-elected claims be retained in the application for possible reinstatement and allowance with allowable elected claims. An early and favorable action on the merits is requested.

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